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SUBJECT: MEETING ON GULF DINAR

REF: (A) MANAMA 1121 (B) KUWAIT 2608

1. KUWAIT CENTRAL BANK SOURCE CONFIRMED THAT REPS FROM UAE, QATAR AND BAHRAIN WOULD MEET IN KUWAIT NOVEMBER 1-2 TO DISCUSS GULF DINAR. HE SAID OMAN WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE ATTENDING BUT HE DESCRIBED SAUDIS AS DISTANT OBSERVERS. NO SAUDI WILL ATTEND BUT CONFERENCE DOCUMENTS MAY BE PROVIDED TO SAG. SOURCE SAID KUWAITIS QUITE SERIOUS ABOUT MEETING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FOR WHICH THEY MAKING CAREFUL PREPARATIONS. HE REITERATED

POINT HE MADE IN MEETING WITH EMBOFF EARLIER THIS YEAR (REF B) THAT INITIATIVE WAS TAKEN BY KUWAIT PRIME MINISTER WHO URGING QUICK ACTION.

2. COMMENT: BASED ON REPORTS SUCH AS REF A AND OTHERS FROM LOWER GULF POSTS WE GATHER THERE LITTLE ENTHUSIASM FOR ARAB GULF DINAR IDEA OUTSIDE KUWAIT. SO FAR HOWEVER KUWAITIS AS WELL AS THEIR SOPHISTICATED FOREIGN ADVISORS HAVE SHOWN VIRTUALLY NO INDICATION THAT THEY RECOGNIZE THIS. ON CONTRARY, CENTRAL BANK OFFICIALS SEEM FAIRLY CONFIDENT THAT PROGRESS BEING MADE, ALTHOUGH THEY CONCEDE PROBLEMS EXIST AND DELAYS MAY BE ENCOUNTERED.

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